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## IN THE CLAIMS

Cancel Claims 9-20.

Add new Claims 21-32 as follows:

21. A foaming composition for providing a cover layer comprising:

a foaming agent,

- (b) \ a bulking material, and
- (c) a water soluble polymer,

the composition when mixed with an aqueous carrier forming a foamed sprayable aqueous slurry suitable for providing a cover layer over a selected material.

22. The composition defined in Claim 21 additionally comprising a fibrous material.

23. The composition defined in Claim 21 wherein the bulking material is selected from the group consisting of bulking/setting materials, clay minerals, and mixtures thereof.

- 24. The composition defined in Claim 21 wherein the bulking material includes a bulking/setting material, and additionally comprising a retarder to slow the hardening of the bulking/setting material.
  - 25. A method for providing a daily cover for waste material comprising:
  - (a) depositing a layer of waste material at a site,
- (b) preparing a fibrous slurry comprising a fibrous material and a binder in an aqueous carrier, and foaming the fibrous slurry,
- (c) spraying over the waste material a layer of the foamed fibrous slurry and allowing the foamed fibrous slurry to set up to form a cover layer over the waste material, and
  - (d) repeating steps (a) through (c) on a regular basis.